

# LODGE TO ATTEND ARMS CONFERENCE

Harding Names Second Member to Represent U. S.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Henry Cabot Lodge, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, selected by President Harding as a member of the American delegation to the disarmament conference.

Formal announcement of Senator Lodge's selection was made at the White House. He is the second member of the delegation to be named, the administration having previously announced that Secretary Hughes would be chairman.

Lodge, who is Republican leader of the Senate, is understood to have accepted.

The \$200,000 item for expenses of the disarmament conference, requested by President Harding, came out of the Senate Appropriation Committee today in the form of an amendment to the emergency appropriation of \$48,500,000 for the Shipping Board reported by the committee and already passed by the House.

The question of appointment of a woman member of the American delegation still is undecided. The President is said to be in doubt also whether any Senators besides Senator Lodge should be appointed.

The meeting place in Washington for the conference has been definitely selected, it is understood, and an announcement on that subject will be made shortly.

It was stated authoritatively today that this government had no intention of paying any of the individual bills of the visiting delegations.

## GREENHILL

We are certainly proud of the nice rain which we have been receiving. It will be a great benefit to the corn and likewise everything else on the farm.

Despite the inclement weather Sunday school was very well attended at Macedonia.

Come out everyone on each Wednesday night and help in the prayer-meeting at Macedonia.

Henry Roller and family called at A. H. Roller's Sunday.

Ewin Davis and family were Sunday guests of S. A. Davis and family after Sunday school.

Ewin Davis and family and sister, Opal Henderson and Marvin Frazier, camped at the reunion at Cassville from Tuesday morning until Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Davis and son Winford joined them on Tuesday night and remained until Thursday evening.

Next Sunday is meeting day at Macedonia. Everyone welcome.

Clyde Davis and family spent Wednesday and Thursday at the reunion.

Raymond Roller has returned from Kansas, where he has been working for some time.

Bethel school began Monday the 15th with Miss Florence Reynaud as teacher.

(Sunday was meeting day at Bethel.)

## A BOLD SCHOOL BOARD

The Board of Education of the Smith Centre schools takes the prize this week for bravery. They have prescribed a uniform for all high school girls and those in the eighth grade. It is to consist of the regulation white middie with detachable blue wool collars and cuffs. Plaited navy blue skirt 12 inches from the floor. (Subject to modification for short girls.) Stockings cotton lisle or wool. Shoes with Cuban or military heel in brown or black. Tie, any color preferred. The rule goes into effect October 1 and the big fight will then be on.—Jewell (Kan.) Republican.

## NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

All creditors and others interested in the Estate of J. J. Randall deceased are notified that the undersigned Executrix of said Estate, intends to make a final settlement of said Estate at the next term of the Probate Court of Barry County, to be holden at Cassville in said County on the 14th day of November 1921.

CATHERINE RANDALL, Executrix.

This 16th day of August, 1921.

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Miss Gertrude Ruscha is visiting relatives in Aurora.

Mrs. Martin Heeter, of Peirce City is visiting her mother, Mrs. Carrie Bear.

Mrs. W. W. Wolfe and Mrs. Frank Jones motored to Peirce City Wednesday morning.

Mrs. J. A. Ellis and Miss Callie McNair, of Peirce City, were shopping in Monett Wednesday.

Miss Ada Riggs has returned to work at Durnill's after a two week's vacation.

W. E. Roller and L. F. Cox with their families left Wednesday morning for Eagle Rock for a few days' camping.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Montgomery and son George, of Rocky Comfort, were the guests of J. H. Wormington and family Wednesday.

# FORD ROADSTER BREAKS PLATE GLASS WINDOW

R. E. Rice lost control of his new Ford Roadster when he started to park it in front of Howell's meat market Wednesday morning and it ran across the sidewalk into the big plate glass window. Although the window was broken into small pieces no other damage was done.

## PLEASANT DALE

Mrs. V. J. George and daughter Mildred, left Tuesday for a two weeks visit with Mrs. George's parents at Appleton City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McCormick and family returned Sunday from an overland trip to Noel, Galena and Miami Okla., at Miami they visited with their daughter Mrs. C. C. McCracken and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long, of St. Louis, came Saturday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Long.

On Sunday August 14, Luther McCormick was given a very pleasant surprise birthday party by his friends. The afternoon was spent in playing games and eating water melons. Later in the evening ice cream and cake were served to about seventeen friends.

Uncle John McCormick of Sand Spring, Okla., is visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

## PURDY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels spent Sunday with relatives at Wheaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Henry and baby visited relatives at Washburn Sunday.

Mrs. Della Chenoweth left Monday for Joplin, where she will be for sometime at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall.

Mrs. Roger Davis, and little son Washburn, spent Monday here with her parents Dr. and Mrs. Northcutt.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. E. Lamar accompanied by Ray Neil of San Francisco arrived Sunday, after a twelve days motor trip. They will visit Mrs. Lamars mother, Mrs. Emma Patterson. They have been in San Francisco the past two years. Mrs. Lamar was formerly Miss Cleo Stockton.

Mr. "Buddie" Robertson of Wheaton, was in our city Sunday.

Ray Cowherd and family of Commerce, Okla., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. McNally of Butterfield is visiting at the home of her son and family.

Misses Thelma Shreve and Vera Peters spent Wednesday in Springfield.

A Gottas and George Probstfeld went to Branson and Forsythe for a few days.

Mrs. Albert Follis, who was here to assist Mrs. H. T. Osborn in preparing and serving a dinner, returned to her home at Sarcosie Monday morning.

Harry Morelock, city marshal, shot at a prowler back of the business houses Sunday night. The officers intend to put a stop to thieving in Monett.

Gladden Granger returned to Tulsa, Okla., Sunday after a visit with relatives and friends at Monett and Aurora. Mrs. Granger remained for a longer visit.

Fred Walton has bought the corner lots on Bond street and Euclid avenue from L. W. Badger and will build a modern six room bungalow on them for his home.

Mrs. Joseph Ledl of Peirce City was in town Wednesday to visit her husband, who is one of the proprietors of the Monett Marble and Granite Works.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and two children and Mrs. Anna Arnold, of Cassville, visited T. D. Pitts and family Tuesday and did some trading with our merchants. Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Pitts are sisters.

Mrs. W. T. Dailey left Thursday for a visit at Dallas, Houston and Galveston, Texas.

Mrs. Griffith has returned to her home at Oklahoma City, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Ruby Hoover.

Miss Anna Mae Jerome, of Joplin, is visiting at Monett.

Mrs. Lulu Tutt, Tommie Tutt and Pat Alsop have returned from a visit at McDowell and at the Cassville reunion.

One of the greatest inconveniences that is suffered by the people along the M. & N. A. railroad is that the telegraph offices have been closed and one must telegraph to the nearest railroad point and then have it relayed into that country by phone.—Rogers (Ark.) Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Day of Monett, accompanied by their son Jas. W. Day and wife of Gainesville, Fla., where he is connected with the state university in Agricultural Education spent the week-end at Roaring River Spring and came to this city Monday on their return home. Jas. W. is another Barry county boy that has made glad parents by making good.—Cassville Democrat.

# HARVE KINGERY DIES

Harve Kingery died at his home in Joplin, Sunday August 7, 1921, at 8:35 p. m. at the age of 55 years.

The deceased was a former resident of Peirce City for a number of years until over a year ago when he and his family moved to Joplin to make their home.

The body was brought to Peirce City for burial, arriving here Tuesday morning and was taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harvill.

He is survived by his wife, four sons, William, Frederick, Tom and Con and two daughters, Miss Anna and Mrs. Maude Chastain of Joplin.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Interment was made in the City Cemetery.—Peirce City Leader-Journal.

## ENTERTAINED HIGH FIVE CLUB

Mrs. E. M. Carr was hostess to the High Five Club Friday afternoon. The prizes were given to Mrs. L. D. McKee and Mrs. Harry Davies.

The club will meet next Friday with Mrs. A. Cole.

## MR. AND MRS. OSBORN ENTERTAIN AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Osborn entertained at a buffet dinner at 8 o'clock Friday evening. The decorations were yellow candles tied with pink maline, sunflowers and golden glow. A three course meal was served.

The following out of town guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. George Olendorf, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gass, of Springfield; Mrs. Fred Hubbert, Neosho; Miss Martha Moore, Sarcosie; Mrs. Chappell K. Foote, of Oklahoma City; Mrs. Floyd Lowe, of Neodesha, Kan., and Bert Stone, of Wichita, Kan. The Monett guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehnhard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Perry, Edgar Price, Misses Helen Lehnhard, Margaret and Josephine Price.

Mrs. Osborn was assisted in serving by Mrs. Floyd Lowe, Misses Margaret and Josephine Price.

## RETURN FROM AUTOMOBILE TRIP

T. D. Pitts and family have returned from a three weeks' automobile trip in Oklahoma and Arkansas. They visited relatives at various points, including Rudy and Sulphur Springs, Ark., and Salisaw, Okla.

## HOLD FOURTEEN MEN FOR INVESTIGATION

The city marshal, Harry Morelock and night watchman, R. A. Gardner, took up fourteen strangers Friday night and kept them in the city jail all night for investigation. As they were here on no particular business, they were given instructions to leave town.

This action was taken by the officers on account of the number of robberies which have taken place here recently. Strangers with no visible means of support do not receive a welcome here.

## MOVE TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Willey have moved to their new modern bungalow, which they have just completed on Frisco avenue. Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Hudson are moving to their new bungalow today. Both of these homes are beautiful and well arranged for comfort.

W. R. Russell left Friday for Buffalo, N. Y., to buy fruit for a commission.

Harry Brown returned Monday morning from Sarcosie where he spent Sunday with his family.

H. M. McIntosh, Misses Pearl Peters, Bertha Jeffries and Mabel Worrmington went to Camp Shoal Saturday evening to join Mrs. McIntosh, Mrs. Peters and others spending the week there.

Misses Gladys Masoner and Martha Davis returned home Sunday from a visit in Joplin.

F. M. Finn has taken charge of the rooming house in Dr. Jones' concrete building on Third street.

Buster and Alex Carney, of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. W. A. Payne and daughter, Miss Octavia, left here Saturday morning, for a sight seeing trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Detroit and St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weygant, who were called here by the death of Mr. Weygant's father, G. W. Weygant, returned to their home at Des Moines, Iowa, Saturday morning. Mrs. G. W. Weygant accompanied them and will make her home with them.

Mrs. J. W. Pruitt, of Mt. Vernon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Anderson north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Suttles, of Joplin, came Saturday morning, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Kirk Foster and two sons, of Kansas City, are visiting Mark Tierman and family.

# SERVICE MEN TO FILE CLAIMS

Disabled Ex-Servicemen will Confer With Clean-Up Squads at Joplin or Springfield.

All disabled former service men in this territory whose claims have not been satisfactorily settled will meet with "clean-up" squads at Joplin, August 23 and 24 or at Springfield August 25 and 26, in the interest of compensation and other benefits due them from the government through war service.

John D. McCutcheon, special representative of the Southwestern Division of the American Red Cross, of St. Louis, has been sent out from headquarters as advance agent for this service and visited Monett Wednesday.

Free transportation will be furnished the men, to secure which they must write a letter to Dr. Funsch, "Clean Up Squad," Bureau of War Risk Insurance, 6801 Delmar Blvd., St. Louis, Mo. Be sure to mark this letter "Clean Up Squad," so that it may receive special attention.

All disabled persons who desire to meet the Bureau of War Risk Insurance representatives should write to the District Office of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, giving his rank, organization, compensation claim number or serial number. His disability should also be given, and the adjustment which he desires. In this letter he should give the name of the town nearest his home in which the meeting is to be held, and ask that transportation be sent to him. This letter should be addressed as stated above.

All men who are planning to attend these meetings should take all letters, papers and other correspondence which they may have had with government officials concerning their claims, with them. If the man has not filed his claim for compensation, then he should take his honorable discharge from service, together with any evidence which he may have, which would prove his disability to be of service origin.

The following are the types of cases which will require some action by the "Clean Up Squad."

1. Cases requiring hospitalization.
2. Cases Having Requests for Additional Medical Evidence.
3. Claimants protesting disallowances or awards of compensation.
4. New Claimants.
5. Claimants not receiving compensation for causes other than mentioned above.
6. Claimants protesting Federal Board Rating, or Making Application for Federal Board training.
7. Protestation of Dental Conditions.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS N

Warranty Deed transfers furnished weekly by Landis & Landis Abstracters, Cassville, Mo.

George E. Lee to Hill U. Musick lots 144 and 145 in block 27 in Withers second addition to Monett; con. \$850.

Mellbourne L. Rounds to Fred J. Gibbons, N½ lot 4 in block 2 in Gon-ton's First Addition to Monett; con. \$350.

Morris Brattin to B. F. Northcutt s½ sw¼ of sec 26, twp 23 range 29; con. \$2,000.

I. A. Doyle to Lillie D. Carter, lots 6, 7 and n¼ of lot 8 in block 6 in Scotch Addition to Purdy; con. \$2125.

Jeremiah Ross to F. S. Moore, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 in block 6 in Smith & Hayes Addition to Cassville; con. \$1 et al.

P. D. Beal to J. W. Beal, s½ sw¼ and ne¼ sw¼ and se¼ nw¼ of sec. 10, twp 21, range 29; con. \$1 et al.

Alonzo L. Jenks to Chas. A. Reay lot 5 in block 31 Monett Town Co's. Townsite to Monett; con. \$2950.

Wm. Smerdon Jr. to Wm. H. Smith lot 9 in block 4 in Monett Town Co's. First Addition to Monett; con. \$700.

Tona J. Hicklin to Grover C. Weyland, nw¼ of sec 20, twp 24, range 25 and n¼ sw¼ of sec 20, twp 24, range 25, except 7 acres out of east end thereof; cons. \$1 et al.—Cassville Democrat.

Mrs. Jay Hoover and son, of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting Mrs. Hoover's parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chapin.

James Wright, of Peirce City, was in town on business Tuesday. Mr. Wright is a Buick dealer and left an order for advertising for The Times.

Miss Marguerite Stringer returned to Kansas City Sunday after spending two weeks vacation at home. She works for the National Cloak and Suit Company at Kansas City. She was accompanied as far as Joplin by Alvin Bradford her uncle.

Mrs. Ellis, of Rogers, Ark., came Tuesday morning, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Roy Ellis.

W. F. Kune, of St. Louis, salesman for the James Clark Leather Company was in town on business Monday.

Miss Vivian Lemert, of Verona, was operated upon Sunday at Dr. West's hospital for diseased tonsils. Miss Lemert is a school teacher.

# INSPECTOR FINDS MONETT A CLEAN TOWN

C. H. Howe, Deputy Industrial Inspector, has been in the city this week inspecting the factories, business houses and hotels and restaurants. Mr. Howe says that he found Monett a clean town with the exception of a few places which have now been remedied.

Mr. Howe was recently appointed inspector under Mrs. Alice Curtice Moyer Wing. He is very thorough in his investigation and strict in the enforcement of the law. He found a few cases of violation of the child labor law due to misunderstanding of the law. There were also some cases where women worked more hours in a week than the law permits.

Mrs. Howe found the majority of offenders willing to comply with the law and will see that everyone observes.

The majority of the hotels and restaurants were found to be clean and he spoke highly of the extreme cleanliness of one or two of them.

## LAWRENCE COUNTY PETIT JURY

Saturday, August 6, the Lawrence County Court drew the following jury to serve at the September term of Circuit Court:

Aurora—Joe French, Oscar Wise. Buck Prairie—Harry McBride, Frank Moore.

Turnback—King Jones, John Keast. Ozark—Chas. Dowdy, Will McNeal. Lincoln—Walter Hood, John Orr. Green—C. H. Tartar, Earl Roberts. Vineyard—E. Woodrow, J. Rutherford.

Red Oak—C. H. Speer.

Mt. Pleasant—R. F. Sullinger, Emory Morris.

Peirce—A. T. Baer, Geo. Wilson.

Freistatt—John Lampe.

Hoberg—Ed Strait.

Spring River—Chas. King.

N. Mt. Vernon—O. M. Phillips.

S. Mt. Vernon—Dale Kirby.

## M. E. GILLIOZ BUYS MASONIC BUILDING

M. E. Gillioz, the contractor, has bought the part of the Masonic building left standing after the fire and will begin wrecking it Monday. He will use the material in construction work.

## BIRTHDAY WATERMELON FEAST

Little Fern Elizabeth Hines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hines, celebrated her eighth birthday Friday with a watermelon feast given to her friends. They went to Peirce City in automobiles and enjoyed a picnic at the city park. There were fifteen children in the party, chaperoned by Mrs. Hines, Mrs. N. E. Spain and Mrs. J. M. Robinson.

Mrs. J. W. Wickers is visiting in Springfield for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladden Granger, of Sapulpa, Okla., are visiting relatives here.

O. P. Murphy, of Cassville, spent Friday night with his daughter, Mrs. A. D. Alsop.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lloyd and children, of Van Buren, Ark., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Lloyd for a few days.

Miss Rose Burkey, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Doennig and her parents at Sarcosie, returned to Wichita, Kan., Saturday morning.

The Young Peoples' Catholic club enjoyed a dance at the Knights of Columbus hall Thursday evening. Music was furnished by Mrs. Ernest Brown and Norman Nordin.

Mrs. Earl Patton, of Cassville, was operated upon at Dr. West's hospital Thursday for abdominal trouble. She is getting along nicely.

J. W. Bougher, a Frisco employe mashed his hand in a mail car door, while on duty and will be obliged to lay off for several days.

Mr. Smith, station agent at Bourbon, visited between trains Saturday morning with his friend, M. L. Rounds.

Mrs. Flora Kahn and Miss Merrah Kahn returned Friday night from an extended visit in Denver, Colo. Mrs. Kahn was very much benefited by the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fuller, of Fayetteville, Ark., returned home Saturday morning after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tucker.

Mrs. Sam Anderson and children and Mrs. Smith went to Springfield Saturday morning to visit Mrs. Smith's brother, Bennie Edmond.

J. H. Runkle arrived Wednesday from Chicago, making the trip overland. He reports a pleasant trip and no tire trouble. Mrs. Runkle has been here for some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Baity.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt, of Lebanon, who have been touring the Ozarks, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh, Friday, leaving here Saturday morning.

D. Wilkerson is quite sick with rheumatism.

Misses Marie and Margaret Ballay, of east of town, will leave in a few days for West Seattle, Wash., to visit their sister, Mrs. Frossard.

# THE AD CLUB AND THE COMMUNITY

Eight years ago the business men of Neosho believed their county to be the promised land. They organized what is known as the Neosho Ad Club which does the work of a rotary club or a chamber of commerce, and in the beginning it held as one of its chief purposes to co-operate with the farmers of Newton county and urge an increased acreage in the planting of fruits, as well as the buying of pure-bred stock and standard bred poultry.

I learned from my talks with the farmers throughout that section that the Neosho Ad Club has proved valuable asset in developing the production in the county. During the summer seasons the club members meet twice a month with the farmers in the county. They carry with them at the close of their busy day well filled baskets to some farmer's home, and there the merchant, the landowner and the tenants of that particular community not only feast but exchange ideas for the benefit of both alike. No farmer in Newton county who wants to improve his farm by increasing his acreage of fruit or fertilizing his soil need go elsewhere for financial assistance.

What the Neosho Ad Club has done for Newton county proves what combined effort of merchant and landowner can do for any county in the state.—Roy Godsey in K. C. Journal.

Missouri is the leading state in the Union, and as for peaches—well, in that respect she's got 'em all backed clean off the boards.—Springfield Republican.

People have fairly good reasons for their opinions if they could only remember what those reasons are.

Lenine has revoked the order giving free telegraph, railroad, and postal service to the people. Russia has spent billions for education lately—educating Mr. Lenine.—Springfield Leader.

Jeanette Rankin says there should be 200 women in Congress. Maybe so. One thing we earnestly believe is that the Congressional Record would be more interesting.—Globe-Democrat.

It would be volcanic, but it might be amusing for everybody to tell the whole truth for twenty-four hours. 'Twould change the course of history.—F. H. Collier, St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Anybody got the heart to inaugurate a Tell-the-Truth Week?—Jack Warwick, Toledo Blade.

Tell-the-Truth Week would be followed inevitably by Mind-Your-Own Business Week.—Globe-Democrat

## PRICE OF SOVIETISM

Russia has ample potential resources to care for its own people. It cannot care for them because under the soviet regime its production has been reduced to a minimum and its distribution has been rendered entirely inadequate by the collapse of its transportation system and its habit of confiscating private property. Famine in 18 provinces of Russia may be due to drought, lack of modern methods of agriculture, or lack of reward for producers, but starvation of the 20,000,000 inhabitants of those provinces is due solely to the evils of the soviet regime.—Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. Edgar Masoner and daughter Cecil have returned home from a visit at Springdale, Ark.

Mrs. Esther Murphy returned home from a visit at Springfield Sunday night, and took dinner with Mrs. A. Gottas.

Fred Mermoud has gone to Sedalia to assist his brother, George Mermoud in looking after stock exhibits for Greene county at the state fair.

Mrs. Gleason Bowen and children Jack and Margaret left Monday morning for a visit with Mr. Bowen's relatives at Indianapolis, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Goodman and son, of Stratford, have been visiting the Goodman families at Monett. They left Saturday morning for Carthage.

Mrs. Ed O'Dwyer held No. 1440 which drew the 50 pounds of sugar at Matthews Grocery Saturday afternoon. Another fifty pounds will be given away next Saturday.